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Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Declaration of Carolyn R. Marks

Dear Sir:

- I, Carolyn R. Marks, residing at 49 Russell Road, Somerville, MA 02144, hereby declare as follows:
- 1. I am an employee at Nutter McClennen & Fish LLP, where I work as an assistant to David J. Powsner, the patent attorney responsible for preparation and filing of the above cited case.

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- 2. To the best of my knowledge, the last known address of Paul E. Cantrell ("Mr. Cantrell") is 15 Prescott Drive, Chelmsford MA 01863.
- 3. On June 18, 2002, I sent a package on behalf of Mr. Powsner to Mr. Cantrell via Federal Express. The package contained a complete copy of the above cited application, along with a Declaration and Power of Attorney for signature by Mr. Cantrell (as one of several inventors). A cover letter, also included in the package, requested that Mr. Cantrell sign the Declaration and Power of Attorney and return them to Mr. Powsner. A copy of that cover letter and a copy of the complete application that was included with it in the package is attached as Exhibit A. (Although the package also included complete copies of other applications which are also referred to in the cover letter those other applications are not included here for brevity.)
- 4. Mr. Cantrell did not return the signed documents.
- 5. On August 1, 2002, I spoke with Mr. Cantrell by phone, using a phone number given to me by his last employer, Mercury Computer Systems, Inc., the Assignee. See Exhibit B-1. Mr. Cantrell said he had received the package I sent from Mr. Powsner on June 18, 2002, and said he would review, sign, and return the documents promptly.
- 6. Again, Mr. Cantrell did not return the signed documents.
- 7. On August 29, 2002 I attempted to reach Mr. Cantrell by phone at the same number. See Exhibit B-2. I only reached his voicemail and left a message for him reminding him that we still had not received the signed documents and asking him to forward them as soon as possible. I followed up again later that day with a second phone call to Mr. Cantrell and, again, only reached his voicemail on which I left the same message as before.

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8. Mr. Cantrell did not my return my phone calls of August 29, 2002.

9. On September 6, 2002, I again attempted to reach Mr. Cantrell by phone at the same number. See Exhibit B-1. I again only reached his voicemail and I again left a message for

him reminding him that we still awaited the signed documents.

10. Again, Mr. Cantrell did not my return my phone call of September 6, 2002.

11. Mr. Cantrell has not returned, signed or otherwise, any of the documents that Mr.

Powsner and I forwarded to him in the package of June 18, 2002. Nor has he returned any of

my phone calls to him.

12. I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that

all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these

statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are

punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 10001 of Title 18 of the United

States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application

or any patent issuing thereon.

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